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Application Serial No. 10/071,136
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

DAVID N. EDWARDS

Serial No.: 10/071,136

Filed: February 6, 2002

Title: "HYBRID GENE LIBRARIES AND
USES THEREOF"

§ Group Art Unit: 1634

§ Examiner: Jehanne S. Sitton

§ Atty. Docket No: 075511.0102

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Applicant submits the following documents for filing with the United States Patent and Trademark Office:

- Response to Final Office Action, mailed April 20, 2005; and
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I hereby certify that the attached Transmittal Letter, Response to Final Office Action, and return receipt postcard are being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 C.F.R. 1.10 on this 20th day of July, 2005, and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111 TO
FINAL OFFICE ACTION, MAILED April 20, 2005**

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on April 20, 2005 (the "Office Action"), please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- **Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper;
- **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.